



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re PATENT APPLICATION OF

Darrell R. ANDERSON et al.

Group Art Unit: 1644

Application Serial No. 09/576,424

Examiner: Phillip Gambel

Filed: May 22, 2000

Title: IDENTIFICATION OF UNIQUE BINDING INTERACTIONS BETWEEN CERTAIN ANTIBODIES AND THE HUMAN B7.1 AND B7.2 CO-STIMULATORY ANTIGENS

Monday, May 12, 2003

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**AMENDMENT AND REPLY PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

Honorable Commissioner for Patents  
Washington DC 20231

Sir:

This is in response to the official action dated January 10, 2003, and is timely filed as it is accompanied by a petition for an extension of time to file in the first month and the requisite fee.

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## **I. AMENDMENT**

### **Amendments to the Drawings Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.121(d)**

Applicants respectfully request that figures 11-14 be amended by deletion of the legends, as shown in the attached marked-up copies of figures 11-14. The deleted text of the legends is also found on pages 27-28 of the specification, in the brief descriptions of the same figures.

Submitted herewith are replacement drawings sheets that include the above-described changes to Figs. 11-14, which replace the original drawings sheets including Figs. 11-14, in compliance with the requirements of form PTO-948 enclosed with the previous office action.

**Attachment:** Four marked-ups sheets of formal drawings showing the requested changes in figures 11-14.

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PATENT APPLICATION

Inventor(s): Darrell R. ANDERSON et al.  
 Appln. No.: 09/ 576,424

Group Art Unit 1644  
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Filed: May 22, 2000  
 Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment  
 Hon. Commissioner for Patents  
 PO Box 1450  
 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Appln. Title: Identification of Unique Binding  
 Interactions Between Certain Antibodies  
 and the Human B7.1 and B7.2 Co-  
 Stimulatory Antigens

Sir:

**REPLY/AMENDMENT/LETTER**

Date: May 12, 2003

This is a reply/amendment/letter in the above-identified application and includes the herewith attachment of same date and subject which is incorporated hereinto by reference and the signature below is treated as the signature to the attachment in absence of a signature thereto.

**FEE REQUIREMENTS FOR CLAIMS AS AMENDED**

## 1. Small Entity claim

- A. ☒ NOT made  
 B. ☐ Withdrawn  
 C. ☐ made herewith  
 D. ☐ made previously

For B & C  
 See **Required**  
**Separate Paper**  
 (Pat-256)

| Claims remaining after amendment  | Highest number previously paid for                 | Present Extra  | Large/Small Entity   | Additional Fee | Fee Code Lg/Sm                                      |
|---|--|--|----------------------|----------------|---|
| 2. Total Effective Claims   | 33   | **minus 33 0   | x \$18/\$9 =         | + \$0          | 103/203   |
| 3. Independent Claims   | 2  | ***minus 3 0   | x \$84/\$42 =        | + \$0          | 102/202   |
| 4. If amendment enters <u>proper</u> multiple dependent claim(s) into this application for <u>first</u> time (leave blank if this is a reissue application) ..... |  |  | + \$280/\$140 =      | + \$0          | 104/204   |
| 5. Original due Date: April 10, 2003  | <input type="checkbox"/> NONE                      |  |                      |                |   |
| 6. Petition is hereby made to extend the original due date to cover the date this response is filed for which the requisite fee is attached                       | (1 mo)<br>(2 mos)<br>(3 mos)<br>(4 mos)<br>(5 mos) | \$110/\$55 =<br>\$410/\$205 =<br>\$930/\$465 =<br>\$1,450/\$725 =<br>\$1,970/\$985 = | + \$110              |                | 115/215<br>116/216<br>117/217<br>118/218<br>128/228 |
| 7. Enter any previous extension fee paid since above original due date and subtract   |  | - \$0  |                      |                |   |
| 8.  |  |  | <b>Extension Fee</b> | + \$110        |   |
| 9. If Terminal Disclaimer attached, add Rule 20(d) official fee .....   |  |  | + \$110/\$55         | + \$0          | 148/248   |
| 10. If IDS attached requires Official Fee under Rule 97 (c), .....  |  |  | + \$180              | + \$0          | 126<br>126  |
| or if Rule 97(d) Request .....  |  |  | + \$180              |                |   |
| 11. After-Final Request Fee per rules 129(a) and 17(r) .....  |  |  | + \$750/370          | + \$0          | 146/246   |
| 12. No. of additional inventions for examination per Rule 129(b) .....  |  |  | x \$750/375 ea       | + \$0          | 149/249   |
| 13. Request for Continued Examination (RCE) .....   |  |  | + \$750/375          | + \$0          | 1179/1279   |
| 14. Petition fee for .....  |  |  |                      | + \$0          |   |

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TOTAL FEE = \$110

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(Our Order No. 037003 0275681

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**CHARGE STATEMENT:** The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee specifically authorized hereafter, or any missing or insufficient fee(s) filed, or asserted to be filed, or which should have been filed herewith or concerning any paper filed hereafter, and which may be required under Rules 16-18 (missing or insufficiencies only) now or hereafter relative to this application and the resulting Official Document under Rule 20, or credit any overpayment, to our Accounting/Order Nos. shown above, for which purpose a duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

This CHARGE STATEMENT does not authorize charge of the issue fee until/unless an issue fee transmittal sheet is filed.

Query: Is appeal deadline now? If so, file Notice of Appeals separately.

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